

THE CLIFTON CLARION.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.—When
personal matters are the subject of com-
munications, a rigorous scrutiny will be made
of their contents. Please sign full name,
write only on one side of your paper, and be
brief.

TO ADVERTISERS.—Nine lines of solid
nonpareil measure make one square.
E. C. DARR, Advertising Agent, 64 and 65
Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, Cal.,
is our authorized agent in that city, and con-
tracts for advertising can be made with him.
THE CLARION is on file in his office.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2, 1885.

RUEL is likely to have a monu-
ment. It is an unpleasant fact
that death is so necessary to insure
fame.

The volcano Vesuvius in Italy
is in a state of eruption. Lava is
pouring down the sides of the
mountain and much alarm is felt
by parties living in the vicinity.

The death of Alfonso, the King
of Spain, leaves that unhappy
country without a head. There
are always plenty of parties plot-
ting for the throne and revolutions
and counter revolutions may be
looked for.

PRESCOTT, A. T., is now certain of
railroad connection with the At-
lantic and Pacific within the next
few months, and, if indications are
worth anything, the Atchison, To-
peka and Santa Fe people contem-
plate the building of a road from
the Atlantic and Pacific via Phenix
and Florence to Benson, or via
Tucson to Calabasas.—San Fran-
cisco Chronicle.

This is the four hundred and
forty eleventh time we have heard
this interesting piece of news and
under the circumstances a little
scepticism is excusable.

The news from Servia and Bul-
garia is very conflicting. Both
armies have a corps of reporters
who are paid to write glowing ac-
counts of victories regardless of
facts. The skirmish will probably
keep up all winter until the ice
on the Danube and the Delister
breaks up, when Russia will take
a hand in the game. Unless Eu-
rope interferes, Austria will join
in the fray, and after that there
will be music in the air. Bismarck
will have to try his hand, and Eng-
land will as usual have a hand in
the pie. In the opinion of able
judges, unless this little Balkan
trouble is smoothed over speedily,
the prospects of a general Euro-
pean war are very strong.

Senator Hawley's paper, the
Hartford Courant, publishes a
significant article, written by the
Senator, on the probable action of
the Senate on President Cleve-
land's nominations. Its most im-
portant portion reads:

The Senators are not merely
Republican Senators but Senators
of the United States, and the
nominations that are presently to
be submitted to them for their ad-
vice and consent are the nomina-
tions of the President of the
United States. They will treat
these nominations precisely as they
treated those of Mr. Cleveland's
predecessor. Some will very likely
provoke criticism, while some will
very probably be rejected; but the
Senate, in the discharge of its duty
under the Constitution, will use its
best judgment in each case and
will confirm honest and capable
men without regard to their po-
litics. It is not at all unlikely that
discussion may arise as to some
removals, but it will be quite free,
we are confident, from any ad-
mixture of factious partisanship.
In a word, the Senate will treat
President Cleveland's nominations
precisely as it treated President
Arthur's.

The crop of "Rewards" is
exceptionally large just now. Mr.
J. A. Muir, Division Superintendent
of the Southern Pacific Rail-
road, offers a reward of \$500 for
the arrest and conviction of the
party or parties who set fire to
their bridge at Yuma, on the morn-
ing of the 17th of October, 1885.
R. S. Hatch, the Sheriff of Cochise
county, offers \$500 for the body of
the renegade Apache chief, Ger-
onimo, and \$250 for any of his
band. The capture must be made
by persons not in the service of
the United States Army. The
stage between Silver City and Al-
ma was recently held up and the
stage company will pay liberally
for information and convic-
tion. The road agent is said to be
quite an expert at the business
and did the job with neatness and
dispatch.

Six hundred good hard dollars
are also waiting for the person
who captures the enterprising
rustlers who lately held up the
stage between Pinal and Florence
and secured two bars of bullion
valued at \$5,000. There are plenty
of good openings of similar char-
acter for young men who have
their wills made and their earthly
affairs all settled. It is safe to say
however, that the man who gets
these rewards, will simply earn his
money.

The proposal has been made
that the editors of Arizona meet
at some convenient point to discuss
some action to be taken in regard
to the Indian question which is
now assuming an alarming char-
acter. It seems to us that the
proposal is a very sensible idea
and we heartily concur in what
our esteemed contemporaries have
said on the need of some united
action being taken. It is eminently
proper that those who live here,
have interests here and have had
experience in such matters, who
are personally acquainted with the
Arizona citizens and know their
views, should have something to
say about the most important
question which has ever arisen con-
cerning the success, growth and
prosperity of this Territory. It is
a fact which can not be disputed
that the Indian policy of the Gov-
ernment has been dictated by non-
residents and people, who, how-
ever well meaning, have not that
intimate acquaintance with actual
affairs which is necessary to cope
successfully with such an impor-
tant question. Enthusiastic phi-
lanthropists, ill informed senti-
mentalists and thieving contractors
in the East have had their way too
long; the results of their policy
are seen on every side, in murdered
men, outraged women, burnt
houses and slaughtered stock.

Newspaper men from the nature
of their profession have ample
knowledge of what settlers in var-
ious parts of the country have
suffered and need at present. By
comparing notes some plan of
practical action can be de-
vised, which, if properly pre-
sented to Congress, may result
in great good. New Mexico, espe-
cially Grant County, has kindred
interests with Arizona in this mat-
ter, and as a central locality, con-
venient of access to both Territories
we venture to suggest Tombstone
as the most convenient point at
which to hold the convention.

The death of Vice President
Hendricks will carry sorrow to the
heart of every true American pa-
triot. A man of spotless integrity
profound legal acquirements and
sound statesmanship, this loss is
one which will long be deplored
in this country. Like most Amer-
ican statesmen, he was a man of
the people, who worked his way
up to the second highest position
in the land by sheer ability, force
of will and geniality of character.
His love for the people and his
faith in the people was unbounded.
His death, so sudden and yet so
peaceful, cut off in his prime, in
the midst of the joy of life, and
of a successful political career,
brings afresh to the minds of fifty
million people that we are all
journeying to that undiscovered
country from whose shores no
traveller returns. His life, which
will be read in later years by
a younger generation, will stand
as a beacon light to young, poor
and struggling genius, teaching
them by actual example that in
our dear America nothing is im-
possible to the young lad with
bright brains, active hands and
pure heart. Let us trust that the
good that Hendricks has done is
not, as Shakspeare says, interred
with his bones, but that it shall
live forever in the hearts of his
grateful countrymen.

Requiescat in pace.

The nice, prim, Puritan city of
Boston, commonly called the Hub,
is torn up and turned inside out
by a clerical scandal which proved
to be as racy as any part of
that in which Henry Ward Beecher
figured in years ago. The gist of
the trouble was that Parson Downs
was found sitting on a bed with
Mrs. Tabor, a member of his flock.
However liberal a construction
may be given to a parson's duties,
it is hard for unclerical minds to
see how such actions come within
the legitimate sphere of a spiritual
leader's work. It also unluckily
happened that the gas was turned
down and the parson's coat was
off. The parson says the weather
was excessively warm, but in comes
a cruel and unfeeling Signal Ser-
vice officer, who is paid to make
notes of the weather for the ben-
efit of Uncle Sam's government,
and swears that it was rather
chilly weather and that ordinary
mortals were wearing thick flannels
at the time. It may be pos-
sible that the parson was expon-
ding some knotty point in theology
and that to make the point clear,
it was necessary to turn down the
gas and take off his coat. It is
best to be charitable in all cases,
but at a venture it is safe to say
that such points had better go un-
explained, and unless absolutely
requisite for the salvation of poor
sinners, parsons will in the future
do well to explain with the aid of
an overcoat and an electric light,
especially to susceptible female
members of their flocks, otherwise
they may find the Church doors
locked on them some fine morning
and a policeman patrolling the
premises, as poor Parson Downs
did.

I. E. Solomon

Solomonville, Arizona,

DEALER IN

Dry Goods!

Boots and Shoes,
Canned Goods,
Clothing,
Groceries,

FLOUR, GRAIN.

SUPPLIES FOR MINERS, RANCHERS
AND FREIGHTERS.

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS.

A Blacksmith and Wagon
Shop

Stocked with complete tools and with com-
petent workmen on the premises.

Proposals Wanted!

For Doing the County Print-
ing for Graham County,
Arizona.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the Board of Supervisors of Graham
County, Arizona, will receive sealed pro-
posals up to 10 o'clock, A. M., January 4, 1886,
for publishing the proceedings of the Board
of Supervisors, and all other matters neces-
sary to be printed for the first six months
ending July 31, 1886.

Proposals to state the price per inch for
first and all subsequent insertions in solid
brevier type.

Proposals to be filed with the Clerk of the
Board up to the time named, and to be en-
closed: "Proposals for doing the County
Printing."

Payment at contract price to be made
quarterly by warrants drawn on the General
Fund.

Contract to be awarded to the lowest re-
sponsible bidder.

Proposals to be accompanied by a copy of
this notice and a good bond in the sum of
\$250.00 for the faithful performance of the
contract, if awarded.

The Board reserves the right to reject any
and all bids.

BURT DUNLAP,
Chairman pro tem.

EDW. D. TUTTLE,
Clerk.

Solomonville, Arizona, Nov. 20, 1885.

Proposals Wanted!

For Supplying Prisoners in the
County Jail With the Nec-
essary Food, &c.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the Board of Supervisors of the
County of Graham, Territory of Arizona,
will receive sealed proposals up to the hour
of 10 o'clock, A. M., January 4, 1886, for
supplying to all persons confined in the
County Jail at Solomonville, the necessary
food for their subsistence for the ensuing
year of 1886. Said food shall be of good
wholesome quality and in quantity sufficient
to meet the wants of such persons, and to be
delivered cooked to the person in charge of
said Jail at such times as may be required
by him, with suitable dishes and appliances.

Bids to be filed with the Clerk of the Board
of Supervisors on or before the hour above
named and to be endorsed: "Bids for Feed-
ing Prisoners in the County Jail at Solomons-
ville," and to be accompanied with a copy of
this notice and a good and sufficient bond in
the sum of \$250.00 for the faithful perform-
ance of the contract, if awarded.

Contract price to be paid quarterly in
County Warrants on the Contingent Expense
Fund.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest
responsible bidder.

The Board reserves the right to reject any
and all bids.

BURT DUNLAP,
Chairman pro tem.

EDW. D. TUTTLE,
Clerk.

Solomonville, Arizona, Nov. 20, 1885.

SALE OF PROPERTY

Deeded to the Territory
of Arizona.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the following described property sold
to the Territory of Arizona for delinquent
taxes in the year 1884, is now offered for sale
at the office of the Board of Supervisors of
Graham County, at Solomonville, Arizona,
at such times as purchasers therefor may
present themselves.

The purchase price not to be in any case
less than the amount standing charged
against said property in the accompanying
list, with interest added thereto at the rate of
10 per cent per annum.

Payment to be made in cash and deed to be
at expense of purchaser.

Property assessed to J. A. Padilla,
being two houses and lots at
San Jose. Sold March 9, 1885,
to Territory of Arizona for.....\$ 5 36
Additional costs, charges and
penalties.....7 00
Total.....\$ 12 36

Property assessed to M. V. Stevens,
being two houses in Clifton.
Sold March 9, 1885, to Territory
of Arizona for.....\$ 32 07
Additional costs, charges and
penalties.....7 00
Total.....\$ 39 07

Property assessed to I. N. Stevens,
being two houses in North Clif-
ton. Sold March 9, 1885, to Ter-
ritory of Arizona for.....\$ 22 50
Additional costs, charges and
penalties.....7 00
Total.....\$ 29 50

Property assessed to C. E. Stevens,
being improvements on land
near Clifton. Sold March 9,
1885, to Territory of Arizona,
for.....\$ 19 64
Additional costs, charges and
penalties.....7 00
Total.....\$ 26 64

Published by order of the Board,
EDW. D. TUTTLE,
Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

CLASSEN BROS.,

LORDSBURG.....N. M.

Dealers in

General Merchandise

California Produce a Specialty

Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the Stock-
holders of the Arizona and New
Mexico Railway Company, for the
election of Directors, pursuant to
law, and the transaction of such
other business as may come before
them, will be held at the office of
the Company, in Clifton, Arizona,
on Wednesday, the 7th day of Oc-
tober, 1885.

LAWRENCE RUSSELL,

President.

W. H. JONES,

Secretary.

Sept. 2, 1885.

Notice of Adjournment.

The above meeting is fur-
ther adjourned until Tues-
day, December 8, 1885.

At 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the President,

W. H. JONES,

Secretary.

Summons.

In Justice's Court, Precinct No. 1, In the
County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.
I. F. Campbell, plaintiff vs. E. F. Hub-
bard, sr. and E. F. Hubbard, jr., defendants.
Before J. B. Groesbeck, J. P. Demand, \$8-
88 and statutory damages.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to
E. F. Hubbard, sr. and E. F. Hubbard, jr.,
defendants:
YOU are hereby summoned and required
to appear before me at my office in Saf-
ford, county of Graham, on the 3d day of
January, A. D. 1886, at 10 o'clock A. M., to
answer the complaint of the above plaintiff,
who demands of you that you are indebted
to him in the sum of Thirty-seven dollars
and Eighty-eight cents, for merchandise fur-
nished you upon an expressed or implied
contract, as more fully appears by complaint
on file in my office. And if you fail to ap-
pear and answer said complaint as herein
required, the plaintiff will take judgment
against you as demanded and for costs of
this suit.

Given under my hand this 5th day of No-
vember, A. D. 1885.

J. B. GROESBECK,
Justice of the Peace.

NOTICE

To Tax-Payers!

The Taxes for the Year
1885 are now due and pay-
able at my office at Solomons-
ville, and must be paid on or
before the third Monday of
December, 1885, under a
penalty of Five Per Cent to
be added thereto.

THOMAS J. NEESE,
Ex-Officio Tax Collector,
Graham Co., Arizona.

Per L. VOELCKEL, Deputy.
Solomonville, Ariz., Oct. 22, 1885.

Proposals Wanted!

For Fencing the Court House
Plaza at Solomonville, Gra-
ham County, Arizona.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the Board of Supervisors of Graham
County, Arizona, will receive sealed pro-
posals for constructing a fence around the
Court House Plaza, at Solomonville, Gra-
ham County, Arizona, the same being Four
Hundred and Sixty-Two (462) feet square.

Proposals to state the kind and style of
fence (wire not admissible) and material to be
used, kind and quality of lumber, height
of fence, and same to be well painted with
three (3) coats of paint, and all to be put up
in a durable and workmanlike manner.

Bids to state the price per rod or foot to be
paid for in County Warrants on the General
Fund at the rate and in the manner con-
tracted for, if a contract be awarded.

Bids to be addressed to the Clerk of the
Board of Supervisors, at Solomonville, and
to be received up to the 4th day of January,
1886, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of that day, when
the bids will be opened and considered. Bid-
ders are requested to be present in person
or by representative when said bids are
opened and considered.

By order of the Board,

EDW. D. TUTTLE,

Clerk.

Solomonville, Arizona, Nov. 20, 1885.

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CORONADO

Chop House,

Joseph Tanner,

Proprietor.

Adjoining the Coronado Saloon.

MAIN STREET.....CLIFTON

The Best the Market Affords

Served at all hours.

Parties desiring can have meals carried to
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REGULAR MEALS, 50 CENTS.

Coronado Saloon!

Main Street, - CLIFTON

JOHN McCORMAC

Proprietor.

The Best of

Wines, Liquors, Cigars & Beer

Fresh Ginger Ale, Soda and
Sarsaparilla Received
Every Day.

Headquarters For

Business Men, Miners, Prospectors and the
Sporting Fraternity.

All Kinds of Mixed Drinks.

All kinds of games in the house.
Late Daily and the Illustrated papers kept
on file.
Two cabinets of selected copper speci-
mens in the house.

Music Every Night,

Furnished by a full String Band.

Notice of the Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the
Stockholders of the Arizona
Copper Company for the
election of Directors and for
the transaction of such other
business as may come before
them, will be held at the of-
fice of the Company, at Clif-
ton, Arizona, on Monday,
October 5th, 1885, being the
first Monday in October.

LAWRENCE RUSSELL,

President.

Postponement.

The above meeting is postponed
until Thursday, 17th December
1885, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the President,

JAMES COLQUHOUN,

Secretary.

GEORGE FRISK,

Cattle Inspector

FOR THE
Southeastern District of Arizona.

PARTIES WISHING TO CROSS THE
Eastern line of Arizona with cattle at
any point between the mountains north
of the San Francisco River and the south-
western corner of the Territory should notify me
of the point where and when such cattle will
be ready for inspection, five days beforehand
if to be driven in and three days if to be
brought in by rail. Cattle must be held
without the Territory until inspected.
P. O. ADDRESS: WILCOX, ARIZONA.

Summons.

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT IN AND
for the County of Graham, Territory of
Arizona, Precinct No. 2, before D. C. Casey,
J. P.

Thomas Dallas, Plaintiff, vs. A. F. Jones
and S. F. Jones, Defendants. Summons.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to
A. F. Jones and S. F. Jones.
You are required to appear in an action
brought against you by the above named
plaintiff in the Justice's Court of Precinct
No. 2, Graham county, Arizona, and to an-
swer before the Justice at his office in the
town of Clifton, on the 27th day of January,
1886, at 10 o'clock A. M., in an action brought
against you by said plaintiff, for the sum of
Two Hundred and Ninety-Seven Dollars
(\$297 00), for work and labor from May
the 1st, 1885, to November 24, 1885, at \$35 00
per month, and the sum of Fifty-Two Dol-
lars (\$52 00) on assigned account from Mrs.
T. J. Baker, and Thirty-Five Dollars (\$35 00)
damages, or judgment will be taken against
you for said amount together with costs of
this suit if you fail to appear and answer.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of said
County, greeting: Make legal service by
publication of this summons and due return
thereof.

Given under my hand, this 25th day of No-
vember, 1885.

D. C. CASEY,

Justice of the Peace.

[First publication, November 25, 1885.]

This space is reserved for James
M. Yankee's new advertisement
which will appear next week.

CLIFTON HOTEL,

MAIN STREET, CLIFTON, A. T.,

MRS. J. ABRAHAM, Proprietress.

BEST HOTEL IN EASTERN ARIZONA.

The Proprietress begs leave to announce to the traveling public that the Clifton Hotel is
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NEW BUILDING, WELL VENTILATED
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Large and commodious Dining Hall. Well ventilated sleeping
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Meals can be procured at all Hours from 6 A. M. to 8 P. M.

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Special terms to families.

L. W. Blinn Lumber Co.,

Dealers in.....

California, Texas and Native Lumber,

Doors, Windows, Transoms, Blinds, Mouldings,
Shingles, Shakes, Etc., Etc.

Also, Builders' Hardware.

Such as NAILS, LOCKS, BUTTS, SCREWS, Etc.

We are prepared to furnish the largest orders for Building Material of all kinds, on
short notice and for the lowest possible prices.

Mill and Mining Timber a Specialty.

Office and Yard Railroad Track West of S. F. Depot.

Lordsburg, - - - - N. M.

Graham House!

J. L. VAN HOOK,

CAMP THOMAS, A. T

MAIN STREET, CLIFTON

MRS. LOUISA C. RUPKEY

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Proprietress.

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Single Meals.....50 Cts.